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Docket No. 0140-4126US4

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): C. Robert Gasparrini et al.

Group Art Unit: 2854

Patent No.: 7,069,854 B2

Examiner: Yan, Ren Luo

Issued: July 4, 2006

For: SOAK ON SITE AND SOAK ON PRESS CLEANING SYSTEM AND METHOD
OF USING SAME

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT

Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 254, and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, Applicants respectfully request issuance of a Certificate of Correction to correct the printed document of U.S. Patent No. 7,069,854 B2, issued on July 4, 2006.

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued to correct an omission of entry of Related U.S. Application Data/Priority Data as put in Amendment filed on October 3, 2005 and additionally, two typographical errors in the claims. The three errors are due to mistakes on the part of the Patent Office and not due to any mistake on the part of the applicants. Supporting documents and two copies of completed Form PTO/SB/44 are enclosed which show the errors.

No fee is believed due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Certificate of Correction, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 0140-4126US4. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

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It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued to Applicants to correct the issued patent as shown on the enclosed completed Form PTO 1050. If any issues remain, or if there are any suggestions for expediting the correction of this patent, it is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: August 17, 2006

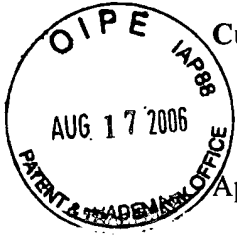
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1. Request for Certificate of Correction of Patent Under 37 CFR 1.322
(2 pgs., in duplicate);
2. Form PTO/SB/44 Certificate of Correction (1 pg., in duplicate);
3. Supporting Documentation, including:
Amendment and Response After Final Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
dated 04/07/2005 amending the claims;
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page

Section (62), delete the Related U.S. Application Data in its entirety and insert therefore:

Continuation of application No. 09/800,252, filed Mar. 6, 2001, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 7,014,716; which is a divisional of application No. 09/211,030, filed Dec. 14, 1998, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,263,795; which is a continuation of application No. 09/094,991, filed Jun. 15, 1998, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,849,124; which is a continuation of application No. 08/431,932, filed May 1, 1995, now abandoned.

In the Claims

Column 14, line 29 (Claim 2) DELETE "method of presoak cloth" and INSERT "method of presoaking cloth"

Column 14, line 33 (Claim 2) DELETE "which doses" and INSERT "which does"

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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached Request for Continued Examination (1p),Amendment Fee Transmittal (2p), Amendment and Response (10p) are being transmitted on thedate shown below to the Examiner Ren Luo Yan of Group No. 2854 at the following facsimilenumber: (703) 872-9306.Respectfully submitted,
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**REQUEST
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application
filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Application No.	09/800,000
Filing Date	March 6, 2001
First Named Inventor	C. Robert Gasparrini
Group Art Unit	2854
Examiner Name	Ren Luo Yan
Atty Docket No.	0140-4126US4

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.133(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1253 Off. Gaz. Pat. Off. 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____.
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
iii. ☐ Other:
- b. **Enclosed**
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- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. Other:

2. **Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(e) for a period of ____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)
- b. Other:

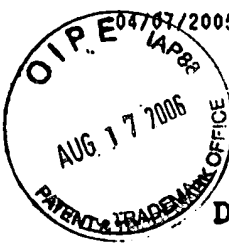
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The RCE fee under C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-4500.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed.
- c. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-4500 Order No. 0140-4126US4

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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*				\$50.00/ \$25.00	\$
Independent Claims				\$200.00/ \$100.00	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$360.00 to additional fee (\$180.00 for small entity).				\$
TOTAL					\$


*Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this amendment, including all fees pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for its timely consideration, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 0140-4126US4. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Sir:

In response to the Office action of February 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 19, line 4, with the following amended paragraph:

Cleaning fabric supply roll 10 needs to be placed in contact with the solvent 20 so that strip of cleaning fabric 13 ~~[[my]]~~ may be soaked and saturated. One method of achieving this result is to dip all cleaning fabric supply roll 10 into solvent 20 contained in container 42. For purposes of this invention, cleaning fabric supply roll 10 includes only the portion of strip of fabric 13 wrapped around core 11 and/or shaft 15 and not the portion of strip of cleaning fabric 13 threaded through the rest of the soak on press assembly 1. Preferably, cleaning fabric supply roll 10 is dipped in solvent 20 and strip of cleaning fabric 13 is soaked and saturated with solvent prior to any portion of strip of cleaning fabric 13 being threaded through the rest of soak on press assembly 1. Alternatively, a portion of strip of cleaning fabric 13 may be unwound from cleaning fabric supply roll 10 prior to cleaning fabric supply roll 10 being brought in contact with the solvent 20. After the strip of cleaning fabric 13 of cleaning fabric supply roll 10 has been soaked and saturated, all of cleaning fabric supply roll 10 may remain in solvent 20, a portion of cleaning fabric supply roll 10 may be removed from solvent 20, or all of cleaning fabric supply roll 10 may be removed from solvent 20.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 22, line 7, with the following amended paragraph:

After being used to clean cylinder 100, the used portion of the strip of cleaning cloth 13 is taken up by a take-up means 70. Preferably, take-up means 70 is a take-up shaft 72 rotatably mounted to mounting assembly ~~[[70]]~~ 30. A take-up roll is formed by winding the used

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strip of cleaning fabric 13 around the take-up shaft 72. Examples of take-up shaft 72 can be found in concurrently filed application entitled "MOUNTING MECHANISMS FOR CLOTH ROLLS ON PRESS CYLINDER CLEANING DEVICES," an application filed by applicant C. Robert Gasparini and commonly assigned, hereby incorporated by reference.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 30, line 15 with the following amended paragraph:

Yet another possible embodiment is shown in figure 7A. In this embodiment, the solvent application system 180 includes a container 182 a dipping roller 184 and a squeezing roller 186. Solvent or cleaning agent 20 is stored in container 182. The dipping roller 184 is used to dip the strip of cleaning fabric 13 into the solvent or cleaning agent 20. The strip of cleaning fabric 13 is soaked and saturated in the solvent or cleaning agent 20. The strip of cleaning fabric 13 is then removed from the solvent and the excess solvent is removed ~~[[form]]~~ from the strip of cleaning fabric 13 so that it is saturated to functional equilibrium with the solvent 20. This removal may be accomplished by squeezing the strip of cleaning fabric 13 between dipping roller 184 and squeezing roller ~~[[184]]~~ 186 at a point above solvent 20. An advantage of such a system is that the removed excess solvent will drop into container 182 and thus a separate container for the removed excess solvent will not be required.

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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-34 (Cancelled)

Claim 35 (Withdrawn): A method of presoaking cloth for a cleaning system on site comprising:

(a) contacting a strip of cleaning fabric with a low volatility, organic compound solvent which does not evaporate readily at ambient temperature and pressure and soaking and saturating said strip of cleaning fabric with said solvent; and

(b) wrapping said strip of cleaning fabric to form a cleaning fabric supply roll; and

(c) engaging said saturated cleaning fabric supply roll with a printing press having a cylinder to be cleaned without disposing a heat-sealed plastic sleeve about said fabric roll and without substantially disturbing the distribution of said solvent in said fabric roll and detrimentally affecting the cleaning ability of the fabric.

Claim 36 (Withdrawn): The method as defined in claim 35 further comprising the step of removing excess solvent and obtaining a fabric saturated to functional equilibrium.

Claim 37 (Withdrawn): The method as defined in claim 36 wherein the step of removing said excess solvent comprises squeezing said strip of cleaning fabric between at least a pair of squeezing rollers.

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Claim 38 (Withdrawn): The method as defined in claim 36 wherein said steps of contacting and removing are performed after said wrapping step.

Claim 39 (Withdrawn): The method as defined in claim 36 wherein said contacting and removing steps are performed prior to said wrapping step.

Claim 40 (Withdrawn): The method as defined in claim 39 wherein said contacting step comprises running said strip of cleaning fabric through a container filled with said solvent.

Claim 41 (Withdrawn): The method is defined in claim 36 wherein said contacting step is performed by using a dipper to dip the strip of cleaning fabric into a container holding said solvent and said removing step comprises squeezing said strip of cleaning fabric between said dipper and a squeezer.

Claim 42 (Withdrawn): The method is defined in claim 41 wherein said dipper is a roller and said squeezer is a roller.

Claim 43 (Withdrawn): The method is defined in claim 35 wherein said contacting step comprises contacting said strip of cleaning fabric with a measured amount of solvent whereby after absorption of said solvent, said strip of cleaning fabric is in functional equilibrium.

Claims 44-50 (Cancelled)

Claim 51 (Currently Amended): A method of presoaking cloth for cleaning a cylinder in a printing press, the method comprising:

contacting a cleaning fabric supply roll with a low volatility, compound solvent which does not evaporate readily at ambient temperature and pressure and soaking and saturating

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said cleaning fabric supply roll with said solvent, such that the contacting of the cleaning fabric supply roll with the solvent does not require the use of pumps, spray bars, manifold lines and valves;

removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll in a controlled and regulated manner prior to cleaning the cylinder of the printing press, wherein the solvent removal occurs outside a container holding the solvent; and

engaging said saturated cleaning fabric supply roll with a printing press having a cylinder to be cleaned without disposing of a sleeve about said fabric roll and without substantially disturbing the distribution of said solvent in said fabric roll and detrimentally affecting the cleaning ability of the fabric.

Claim 52 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 35, wherein the plastic sleeve is heat-sealable.

Claim 53 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 35, wherein the plastic sleeve is heat-sealable.

Claim 54 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 51, further including removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll wherein the solvent removal occurs inside a container holding the solvent.

Claim 55 (Cancelled)

Claim 56 (Currently Amended): A method of presoaking cloth for cleaning a cylinder in a printing press, the method comprising:

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wrapping a cleaning fabric supply roll around a core, and subsequently contacting said cleaning fabric supply roll with a low volatility, compound solvent which does not evaporate readily at ambient temperature and pressure and soaking and saturating said cleaning fabric supply roll with said solvent;

removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll in a controlled and regulated manner prior to cleaning the cylinder of the printing press, wherein the solvent removal occurs outside a container holding the solvent; and

engaging said saturated cleaning fabric supply roll with a printing press having a cylinder to be cleaned without disposing a sleeve about said fabric roll.

Claim 57 (Withdrawn): The method of claim 56, further including removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll wherein the solvent removal occurs inside a container holding the solvent.

Claim 58 (Cancelled)

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REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application in view of the above amendments, statements and arguments below is respectfully requested.

CLAIM STATUS

Claims 35-43, 51-54, and 56-57 remain pending after the amendment herein.

Claims 1-35 and 44-50 were previously cancelled.

Claim 35-43, 52-54 and 57 were withdrawn from consideration.

Claims 51, 55, 56, and 58 were rejected.

Claim 55 and 58 are cancelled herein.

Claims 51 and 56 are amended herein.

Claims 51 and 56 are independent claims.

SPECIFICATION

The specification is amended to correct minor editorial problems. Specifically typographical errors in a couple of words and numerical references are addressed.

REJECTION OF CLAIMS

1. **Claims 51 and 56 Are Not Obvious Because Aoki and Gasparrini Do Not Teach or Suggest All Claim Limitations**

Claim 51 and 56 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable over Aoki (5,509,353) in view of Gasparrini (5,368,157). Applicants traverse the rejection and submit a prima facie case of obviousness has not been made.

Aoki describes a system in which a cleaning sheet (59) is impregnated with cleaning fluid before it makes contact with a drum (11). After the drum (11) is cleaned, the flow of cleaning fluid to the cleaning sheet is stopped while the winding shaft (61) continues to move the cleaning sheet (59). As dry portions of the cleaning sheet (59) come into contact with the drum (11), any cleaning fluid remaining on the drum (11) is absorbed and removed. (See Col. 5, lines 33-39).

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Aoki is silent as to removing excess solvent from the sheet in a controlled and regulated manner before use or cleaning the cylinder. In fact, Aoki teaches away from such a structure by allowing the sheet to dry during cleaning.

The Gasparrini reference describes a pre-packed, pre-soaked cleaning system in which excess solvent is simply permitted to drain off. (See Col. 6, lines 58-62; Col. 6, line 67 – Col. 7, line 2).

The Gasparrini reference is also silent as to removing excess solvent from the sheet in a controlled and regulated manner before use. The Gasparrini reference also teaches away from what is claimed by having excess solvent drain off in an uncontrolled manner.

The Applicants, on the other hand, claim a method of presoaking a cleaning fabric supply roll for cleaning a cylinder in a printing press that requires removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll prior to the cleaning of the cylinder. A distinct advantage of the cleaning system of the Applicants' claimed invention is that maximum cleaning efficiency is achieved by removing excess solvent from the cleaning fabric supply roll in a controlled and regulated manner before the cleaning fabric supply roll is used to clean the cylinder of the printing press. None of the cited references teach or suggest such a method.

Applicants respectfully submit that the cited references teach away from the Applicants' claimed invention by requiring that excess solvent is either removed after the cylinder of the printing press is cleaned or in an uncontrolled and unregulated manner.

It is well settled that in an obviousness determination consideration must be given to where the references diverge and teach away from the claimed invention. To establish a prima facie case of obviousness all claim limitations must be taught or suggested by the prior art. Since the references cited do not teach or suggest what the Applicants have claimed, a prima facie case

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of obviousness has not been made. Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejections is respectfully requested.

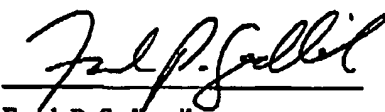
CONCLUSION AND AUTHORIZATION

For at least these reasons, it is believed that all of the claims as presently presented, are patentable, and that this application is now in allowable condition. If the Examiner has any suggestions to expedite the pendency of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the below mentioned attorney at the number provided.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for the timely consideration of this amendment under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 0140-4126US4.

Dated: 4/7/05

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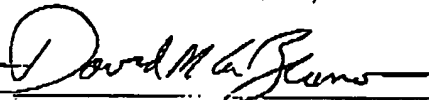
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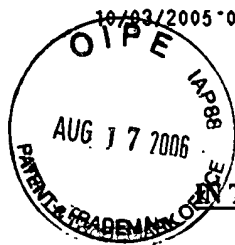
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I hereby certify that the attached Corrected Section of the Amendment (3p) are
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the following facsimile number: 571 273 8300.

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CORRECTED SECTION OF THE AMENDMENT

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Sir:

A Corrected Section Of The Amendment is submitted to correct an formatting error which rendered that portion non-compliant in the previously submitted amendment. The Corrected Section Of The Amendment appropriately details the addition of a paragraph that states the Applicants' claimed benefit of priority in this application. If the Commissioner determines that any extension of time and/or any fee is required, the applicant hereby petitions for the required extension of time and authorizes the Commissioner to charge deposit account 13-4500, order 0140-4126US4 for the required fee.

Please amend the application as follows:

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IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, line 15 of the specification, before the "Field of the Invention," please add the following paragraph:

This application is a continuation of application No. 09/800,252, filed Mar. 6, 2001, currently pending; which is a divisional of application No. 09/211,030 filed Dec. 14, 1998, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,263,795; which is a continuation of application No. 09/094,991, filed Jun. 15, 1998, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,849,124; which is a continuation of application No. 08/431,932, filed May 1, 1995, now abandoned.

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REMARKS

A section of the previously submitted amendment was indicated to be non-compliant because the new paragraph in the amendments to the specification was underlined and should not be underlined. Applicants submit this Corrected Section Of The Amendment in which the new paragraph in the amendments to the specification is not underlined. That new paragraph states the Applicants' claimed benefit of priority in this application.

The previously submitted amendment accompanied a Request For Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement submitting References for the consideration of the United States Patent & Trademark Office. Applicants await consideration of those references by the USPTO. Also accompanying the previously submitted Amendment was a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3) which the USPTO subsequently been granted.

Conclusion

The Applicants respectfully request that this Corrected Section Of The Amendment and the uncorrected portions of the previously submitted Amendment be entered. In the event that a telephone conference would facilitate examination in any way, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned representative at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,

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